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SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Madam President, members of the Legislature, Senator Pedersen just gave us the reason why we don't need this. They're able to do their job right now without them. You're just creating another category...

PRESIDENT ROBAK: One minute.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: ...of people who can have these undercover plates and play at whatever it is they play. I don't know if they'd want "007" printed on their plate, "SPY" printed on their plate. I don't know what in the world it is they're after. But it begins to become unacceptable to have all these different groups wanting to be going around in disguise when they're representing the state. I am opposed to Senator Pedersen's amendment, and I think his answers showed that we don't need to expand the category of persons who are going to have these plates.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Chambers. Senator, your light is next, if you wish to continue.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Yes. Madam President, because I was asking questions, maybe I wasn't able to give a coherent presentation of what it is I'm trying to say. This society is becoming increasingly one where the government intrudes into the private affairs of citizens. It is increasingly becoming a government of sneaks, snoops, and snitches. We have more bills aimed at putting people in a position to spy on what citizens are doing. Even somebody on probation remains a citizen. I would hate to think that these probation officers see it as their primary function to be conducting undercover surveillance of probationers. If the only way you're going to catch somebody doing something in violation of probation is to drive around in a secret car with undercover plates, then you don't have the right attitude towards your job. Anybody can commit a technical violation of any rule that governs his or her conduct, even us, even we can do that, and some of us do it. Senator Pedersen, I'd like to ask you a question, if you know the answer.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Senator Pedersen.

SENATOR DW. PEDERSEN: I'll try, Senator Chambers.